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PRICE 2 CTS.

MEDICINAL.

AMERICAN ALTERNATIVE
FOR TUMORS.
There have been a number of cases of cancer, and the cure has been effected by the use of this medicine. It is a powerful and reliable remedy for all kinds of tumors, and is sold by all druggists.

AMERICAN TONIC
FOR LUNG TROUBLES.
This medicine is a powerful and reliable remedy for all kinds of lung troubles, and is sold by all druggists.

AMERICAN EXPECTORANT
FOR BRONCHITIS AND COUGHS.
This medicine is a powerful and reliable remedy for all kinds of bronchitis and coughs, and is sold by all druggists.

A.B.C. CHEMICAL CO.
17 SOUTH 12TH STREET, RICHMOND, VA.

BUILDING MATERIAL, &c.

SMOOT & CO.,
(Successors to J. B. Smoot & Co.)

Steam Flooring & Planing Mill

Manufacturers of
DOORS AND WINDOW FRAMES, MOLDINGS, &c.
Dealers in
LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME
CALCINED PLASTER AND CEMENT.
NO. 25 NORTH UNION ST.,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

JOHN PERRY, C. B. PERRY
Formerly of Perry, Smoot & Co.
and Jas. B. Smoot & Co.

PERRY & SON,
LUMBER MERCHANTS,
OFFICE NO. 128 KING ST.,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Dealers in Doors, Sash, Blinds, Mouldings, Cement, Calcined Plaster, Lime, Hair, Nails, &c.

Dressed Lumber kept under cover.

[ESTABLISHED 68 YEARS.]

JOSIAH H. D. SMOOT,
DEALER IN

Lumber, Shingles, Laths,

NAILS, LIME, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, &c., &c., &c.

MANUFACTURERS OF
FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, FRAMES,
MOLDINGS, MANTELS, BEACHTS
AND ALL KINDS OF WOOD

Office and yard No. 21 North Union St., Factory
Nos. 13 and 15 North Lee St., Alexandria, Va.
No charge for delivery in city. Jan 28

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

J. C. MILBURN,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

AND DEALER IN

FANCY AND STAPLE GROCERIES.

PROPRIETORS OF

POTOMAC BRAND OF FLOUR,

dec 26 Which is unexcelled.

W. A. SMOOT & CO.,

Coal, Salt and Plaster,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Office—Smoot's Wharf.

ap 4 Special attention paid to forwarding.

CHARLES KING & SON,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

217-223 NORTH LEE STREET,
(Opposite Hill's Cracker Factory)

SOLE AGENTS FOR SATISFACTION TO
BACON AND HAZARD POWDER.

oct 26

W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
And Dealers in

ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

Have on hand GIBSON'S XX, XXX, XXXX,
and PURE OLD RYE, OLD WHISKY, and
MONSIEUR WHISKY; also BAKER'S and
THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKY, to which
they invite the attention of the trade.

Orders from the country for merchandise shall
receive prompt attention.

Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country
Products solicited, for which they guarantee the
highest market prices and prompt returns.

Northeast corner of Cameron and Royal streets
sep 14 Alexandria, Va.

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GIVE AN ORDER FOR A LARGE PORTRAIT,
CALL AT

NARAMORE'S STUDIO,

321 KING STREET,
And see specimens of GRAY, WATER COLOR
and OIL PORTRAITS, made from sittings or old
pictures of any kind, at prices and grades of
finish to suit all classes of circumstances. (We make
no machine finish portraits, such as are delivered
by agents.) All free-hand. Crayons for those who
prefer them.

PHOTOGRAPHS OF ALL SIZES.
All work guaranteed satisfactory.
PICTURE FRAMES in great variety on hand
and made to order at any price desired.
D. H. NARAMORE,
321 King Street.
sep 1

PAINT YOUR BUGGY FOR ONE DOLLAR.
Another supply of CROWN CARRIAGE GLOSS
PAINT ready for use; only one coat necessary.
For sale by
sep 6

W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.
CUTLERY, SPOONS, FORKS, &c., for restaur-
ants, use, CHEAP. Call at 328 King Street.
oct 7

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.
SMALL HAMS, choice quality, canvassed and
uncanvassed, for sale at
sep 24

J. C. MILBURN'S.
CORN GRITS, fresh, just received by
sep 1

J. C. MILBURN.

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PUBLISHED DAILY AND TRI-WEEKLY
At the Gazette Building, 310 & 312 Prince St.

Daily one year, \$5.00
Six months, \$3.00
Three months, \$1.50
Tri-weekly one year, \$4.00
Six months, \$2.00
Three months, \$1.00

Contract advertisements will not be allowed to exceed the
space unless the excess is paid for at transient rates,
and under no circumstances will they be allowed to
advertise other than their legitimate business in the
space contracted for.

All transient advertisements must be paid for in ad-
vance.

Marriage and death notices must be paid for in ad-
vance.

Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect,
resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of
public concern, will only be printed in this paper as
advertisements.

The GAZETTE office is connected with the Telephone
Exchange. Advertisements, orders for the paper,
news, or any information or business can be sent by
telephone.

(Entered at the Postoffice, Alexandria, Virginia, as
second-class matter.)

Satisfied with the Aroma

"Just a few drops, please," said a gentle-
man yesterday afternoon as he stepped up to
the mahogany in a well-stuffed room and
held a fine silk handkerchief part way over the
bar.

The mixologist took a bottle labeled "private
stock" off the shelf and poured about a
teaspoonful in the handkerchief. Then the
gentleman hurriedly applied it to his nose.

He stood sniffing with the handkerchief
pressed closely to his face. When he seemed
to have gotten all he required he put 15
cents on the bar and walked out.

"What's the matter with that man?" asked
a Pioneer-Press reporter who saw the op-
eration.

"Major," repeated the man behind the
bar. "Nothing's the matter. That's the way
he takes his stimulant."

"Just from the smell?"

"Yes; just inhaling it or drawing the per-
fume through the nose. Now that man
claims he can get more satisfaction out of a
few drops of whisky by breathing the fumes
than by drinking it. He comes in about five
times a day and always asks for a few drops,
but he always pays 15 cents just the same as
if he took a straight bowl. I used to think
it was all imagination, but I've come to the
conclusion it isn't. There are four custom-
ers who come here and either get a few
drops in their hand or handkerchief six or
eight times a day. One of them told me not
long ago that a man with a keen sense of
smell can get more satisfaction that way
than out of imbibing."

"It looks odd, doesn't it?"

"Yes, and I suppose that's why they each
do it when there's no one in. That gentle-
man who just went out is the only one of
them all who takes it when any one is
around, and I don't suppose he would do so
if he thought you had been looking at him."

—St. Paul Pioneer-Press

SHORTENING DAYS.—There is something
natural to the early withdrawal of the sun
and the long twilight, to prevalent gray
skies and chilly airs, of most of our early
winter afternoons that lends itself, with
those of rural and suburban life, to a mal-
ancholy which is more than gentle, and is
not without its morbid dangers for the sen-
sitive temperament already predisposed to
gloom. It is the parting of the year, as the
winter is its sleep of death, as the spring
is its glorious resurrection. But it is the
winter that is at hand, and spring is among
the far-off things hardly believed in till they
come, and a sort of forlorn overtakes the
shadowed spirit from the moment that the
first rose flush on the eastern horizon tells
the story of the declining day at a time
when, a little while ago, we hardly remem-
bered that it had left off being morning, and
when, in a sky from which all other birds
have fled, save where in the night the flocks
of wild geese flying South go trumpeting
and clanging on uneven, a pair of black
crows flap heavily, and seem only the omi-
nous heralds of evil. There is nothing for
it then but to do something that shall stir
the blood, and oxygenate it, and set it to
bubbling in our veins—a brisk walk; a
frolic with the baby; a candy-bolling; a
diving among boxes and bundles of old pos-
session in company with some one who will
be surprised and pleased as we ourselves
are in reclaiming some forgotten hoard of
treasures once put away for future use, and
never to better use than in being pulled over
on such a day as this, if one be of those to
whom such discoveries give pleasure.

SUICIDE.—Louis U. Camacho, for twenty-
five years a citizen of Baltimore, and worth
\$70,000, swallowed prussic acid yesterday
evening and died from the effects at the
Mansion House in Druid Hill Park. Mr.
Camacho had for several years suffered in-
tensely from malaria and insomnia. He was
a Cuban refugee. His family stood
high on the island. He was unmarried and
fifty-six years of age. He received a fine
education and was highly esteemed in Bal-
timore.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve
THE BEST SALVE IN THE WORLD FOR Cuts, Bruises,
Scalds, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter,
Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin
Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay
required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satis-
faction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per
box. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

For Over Fifty Years.

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs.
Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over
FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their
CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT
SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE
GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC and
is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists
in every part of the world. Be sure and ask
for Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, and take
no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

STATE TAXES.

NOTICE TO STATE TAX-PAYERS.

On and after Monday, November 10, 1890, I
will be prepared to receive the State taxes for the
year 1890. All persons paying their taxes before
December 1st will save 5 per cent, as the penalty
of 5 per cent. will be added to all unpaid bills on
December 1st and their collection enforced, ac-
cording to law.

M. B. HARLOW, City Treasurer,
Room No. 2 City Hall.

COCKBOACH, BEG-BUG AND RAT PASTE

Just received by

WAGFIELD & HALL

Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

NO. 1 FAT MACKEREL, large size, for sale by

oct 13 J. C. MILBURN.

Miscellaneous

A convention of real estate agents of
the State is to be held in Norfolk on the 19th
and 20th instant.

By a premature explosion of dynamite in
Custer's stone quarry, Lima, O., yesterday
Charles Barker, Henry Wisnerup and Geo.
Fisher were blown to pieces, and Frank
Fisher and Samuel Watt seriously injured.

During the debate on the naval estimates
in the French Chamber of Deputies yester-
day Admiral Barbey, minister of marine,
stated that cannon of enormous calibre
would no longer be used, thirty-on guns
being capable of piercing the armor plates of
any thickness. He also said that warships
would be built with a speed of eighteen
knots an hour.

A large number of distinguished women
from different parts of the country went to
Baltimore yesterday to give practical en-
couragement to the movement to raise \$500,-
000 to establish a medical school for women
and men as a part of the Johns Hopkins
University. Receptions were held at the
Hopkins Hospital and the residence of Miss
Mary Garrett.

MEDICINAL.

Take

Simmons

Liver

Regulator

One Dose

WORTH

100 Dollars

Dear S. L. R.—Friends: I consider one dose
of Simmons Liver Regulator worth \$100. I
was constipated, had headache, could eat noth-
ing with satisfaction or appetite; had the
blues and felt altogether out of sorts. I re-
sorted to blue mass, calomel, quinine and all
remedies suggested, but only obtained tem-
porary relief. One dose of S. L. R. did me
more good than the \$100 worth of doctors
and doctoring. Respectfully,

T. C. MARRLEY.

I have been a teacher for twenty years, and
during that time have had repeated attacks of
headache, produced by torpid liver, and I
have been entirely cured by the use of Sim-
mons Liver Regulator. I found it to be of so
mild a character in its action as not to inter-
fere, in the least, with my duties in the school
room. To those similarly situated and sub-
ject to same, I cannot too highly recommend
Simmons Liver Regulator. E. A. CHEEK,
Campbellsville, Ky.

AUCTION SALES.

By R. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court of
Alexandria city, entered in the chancery
cause of J. W. Roberts et al., trustees, against the
Aged Men's and Women's Home Society of Alexan-
dria, the undersigned will sell at public auction on
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18th, 1890,
at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Royal street
entrance of the Market Building, the following
property, to wit:

ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND, WITH THE
IMPROVEMENTS thereon, at the southwest cor-
ner of St. Asaph and Wolfe streets, in the city of
Alexandria, Va., fronting 176 feet 7 inches on
St. Asaph street and 90 feet on Wolfe street.

Terms of Sale: Cash as to so much of the pro-
ceeds as may be necessary to pay the costs of sale
and the unpaid purchase money, principal and in-
terest, due by said society, and the residue at six
months from day of sale; the deferred payments
to bear interest from day of sale at six per centum
per annum; the title to be retained until the
whole of the purchase money has been paid, and
all conveyancing at cost of the purchaser.

A. W. ARMSTRONG, Commissioner.

I certify that the bond required by the decree
for the sale of the foregoing property has been
given by A. W. Armstrong.

oct 29 is JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.

FOR SALE

LARGE SALE

—OF—

BUILDING LOTS

—BY THE—

ALEXANDRIA REAL ESTATE INVEST-

MENT, TRUST AND TITLE

COMPANY,

NO. 102 S. FAIRFAX ST., ALEXANDRIA, VA

An opportunity for every one to purchase a
Building Lot.

Lotson Columbus and Washington streets

For sale on easy terms.

CASH PAYMENTS FROM \$10 TO \$25

EACH;

balance in small monthly payments, without inter-
est. Final payment will entitle purchaser to a
deed free of cost.

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FARMERS, READ

X. O. DUST!

THE NEW AND GREAT DISCOVERY,

X. O. DUST!

For the relief from the Texas or Buffalo Fly on
Cattle, just received and for sale by

sep 9 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

ANOTHER NEW ONE.

"TOMATO FIG"

for Dyspepsia and Constipation. Price 25c. per
bottle. For sale by

oct 25 J. D. H. LUNT.

PERRY'S HARNESS OIL SOAP.

Three sizes—\$1, 50 and 25c sizes; the finest
article in the world for harness. For sale by

feb 27 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

FINE CUTLERY at 328 King Street, corner of
Royal. Special attention is called to our as-
ortment of fine Scissors, Razors, Pen, Pocket and
Table Cutlery. For sale at low prices.

jan 30 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

MEDICINAL.

DOCTOR'S CURS Liver Complaint,
Bilious Affections and
Constipation. All druggists. Price 25c.

DOCTOR'S

COUGH

SYRUP

CURES COUGHS & COLDS FOR 25 C

SALVATION OIL

(Price only 25 cents. Sold by all druggists.)
Relieves quickly Rheumatism, Neu-
ralgia, Swellings, Bruises, Lumbago,
Sprains, Headaches, Toothache, Cuts,
Burns, Scalds, Sores, Backache, &c.

DOCTOR'S PLUGS, The Great Tobacco An-
dust. Price 10c. Sold by all druggists.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

OFFICE OF THE CHARLOTTESVILLE AND

RAPIDAN R. R. CO.
Alexandria, Va., Oct. 18, 1890.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the
Charlottesville and Rapidan R. R. Co. will be held
at No. 1009 Prince street, Alexandria, Va., WED-
NESDAY, November 20th, 1890, at 12 o'clock
noon.

J. S. B. THOMPSON,
Secretary.

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR RENT—The FRAME HOUSE No. 427 N.
Columbia street; in perfect order; water and
gas. Inquire opposite.

nov 14 w A BUTTS.

FOR RENT—The property known as "THE
HOMESTEAD" of the late Townsend Baggett,
near the Stone bridge. Apply on the premises.

nov 14 w E MURRAY.

FINE BUILDING LOT on St. Asaph street, be-
tween Cameron and Queen, for sale. Lot 26
feet 9 inches by 125 feet deep. This is one of the
best building lots in the city.

oct 11 O'NEAL & LUNT,
Real Estate Agents.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE 216 south Washington street, and
HOUSE 924 Duke street. Apply to

oct 27 is JOHN T. NALLS 820 King st.

FOR SALE AT A GREAT BARGAIN.

A FINE, LARGE, THREE-STORY BRICK
Dwelling on Patrick street, between King
and Prince, 10 rooms, with all necessary con-
veniences, in good order; also stable in rear on
large lot.

oct 11 O'NEAL & LUNT,
Real Estate Agents.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

ONE T. ACT OF LAND, 446 acres, 2 1/2 miles
from Alexandria on the Mount Vernon road,
the survey of the Mount Vernon Avenue passing
through the place. This property is well calcu-
lated for farming and dairy purposes, being well
watered, and has a frontage on the Potomac River
of 2 miles; also unsurpassed scenery overlooking
both the cities of Alexandria and Washington.
Persons seeking investments will find it to their
advantage to examine this land.

2d, 124 ACRES and another of 52 1/2 ACRES,
about 4 miles from the city, not far from the above
described property.

Perhaps there is no land on the market at this
time offering greater advantages to seekers of
profit than the above named property. For de-
scription and terms apply to

Miss KATIE M. G. JOHNSON
514 Cameron street

Or to O'NEAL & LUNT, Real Estate Brokers,
No. 103 Fairfax st., bet. Cameron and King
ang 27 T. T. & S. L.

FOR RENT.

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 817 Duke
street; gas and water.

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 819 Duke
street; gas and water.

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 821 Duke
street; gas and water.

Apply to No. 400 Prince street. je 13 tf

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

R. C. ACTON & SON,

606 KING STREET.

NEW GOODS.

Make a note of these things, you'll find something
you want for yourself or for some one else as
Wedding Gifts.

IMPORTED WARE,
viz: Royal Worcester Potions Stoke-on-Trent,
Old Hall, Carlsbad, Bonn, and others. Onyx Top
Tables, Onyx Clocks with French and American
movements, Onyx Candelabra, Onyx Beas and
Rustic Floor Lamps with plain and decorated
shades. Unique and pretty designs in Silver and
Plate. We are still selling the celebrated

ENGLISH CARVING SETS,
Bronzes and Marbleized Iron Clocks. The newest
in Gold and Silver-head Umbrellas and Canes. A
large and carefully selected stock of Diamonds,
Watches and Jewelry.

You'll be sure to find something to please you.
We find it a pleasure to show goods. Come in and
we'll convince you our prices are as low, if not
lower, than others for similar qualities. nov 12 m

B. B. SMITH,